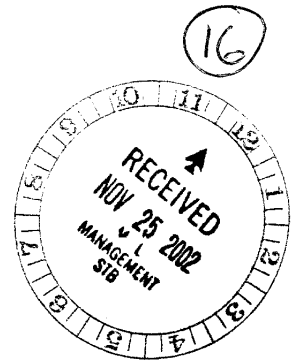




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Re: ER 89-1632-042-VV
STB Docket No. AB-167 (Sub-No. 1095X)
Proposed Abandonment of the Enola Line
Lancaster and Chester Counties, Pennsylvania
Official Notice of Re-opening of Section 106 Consultation

Dear Mr. Brady:

The Bureau for Historic Preservation (the State Historic Preservation Office) has reviewed the above named project in accordance with Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966, as amended in 1980 and 1992, and the regulations (36 CFR Part 800) of the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation as revised in 1999. These requirements include consideration of the project's potential effect upon both historic and archaeological resources.

We are in receipt of the official notice advertising the re-opening of Section 106 Consultation on the Enola Low-Grade Railroad Abandonment project. The notice adequately addresses the actions on the project to date and outlines the procedures for continued consultation. The State Historic Preservation Office intends to continue to participate in the consultation. Please keep us informed of others requesting Consulting Party status and forward any of their comments for our records.

If you need further information in this matter please consult Susan Zacher at (717) 783-9920.

Sincerely,

Kurt W. Carr, Chief
Division of Archaeology &
Protection

cc: Advisory Council on Historic Preservation
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